

## SAMMIES ENJOY BIG HOSPITALS

Americans and Australians  
Form Too Rich Mixture for  
Fritz, Says Officer.

## SWAP YARNS IN BED

Wounded Billeted on Sunlit  
Porches Along Devon Coasts,  
the "English Riviera."

London, July 18.—The American soldiers who have arrived at London hospitals in the last few days are a cheerful and optimistic lot. They are grouped mostly in four or five large metropolitan hospitals and as far as possible have been put together in large wards where they can provide plenty of companionship for one another.

The Americans include both sick and wounded. The wounded are largely from the Fourth of July "show," which was staged by the Americans and Australians south of the Somme.

"The Yanks and the Aussies got along fine together," said Sgt. Torrey, of Olean, to the Associated Press, "and the combination is too much for Mr. Hun. The Germans have many good fighters, but they are forced to admit that it is all up when they see the Americans and the Australians coming after them."

The alliance which the Americans and Australians established in the Fourth of July push has been perpetuated in London hospitals by brigading them together in hospital wards. The ward in which Sgt. Torrey and a dozen other Americans were being treated also contains ten Australians. Most of these men already are virtually convalescent and spend the day swapping yarns on the sunlit porch.

Other nearby wards contain ninety more Americans and the convalescents are allowed to circulate freely about the hospital. They spend the day visiting fellow Americans, renewing old acquaintances and making new ones. American women in London visit the hospitals daily and distribute American newspapers and magazines, cigarettes, chocolates and other delicacies from the stores of the American Red Cross.

Every American woman visitor at the hospitals Wednesday carried a supply of American flags. This pleased the men greatly and before the day was over every bed occupied by an American soldier had a silk flag floating proudly above it.

Writing materials also have been distributed. One American soldier boasted that he had written seventeen letters to relatives and friends in the United States the early afternoon of Wednesday. A large number of Americans have been placed during the last day or two at the South African hut hospital, where large numbers of colonial troops always are quartered.

Many of the Americans now convalescent in London hospitals will be transferred immediately to the American Red Cross hospital in Sunningdale, England. This is probably the first sea coast hospital in England and is housed in the former country home of a Paris singer in the section of South England, popularly called the "English Riviera."

Virtually all the Americans in London hospitals are being cared for by American doctors. A large number of American doctors for a long time have been attached to big London institutions.

## ENEMY AGENT BLAMED FOR POOR WHEAT CROP

(International News Service.)  
Salem, O.—Enemy agents are blamed for an insect pest which has reduced Butler township's bumper wheat crop to much less than normal. The ravages of the insect have been tremendous. Last winter, the farmers now remember, an aged man of German extraction was observed wandering about the township visiting wheat fields to the exclusion of others, and apparently digging in them with his hands, as if burying something in the soil.

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## OUTBURSTS OF EVERETT TRUE

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## AMERICA'S ROLL OF HONOR

Today's Casualty List Embraces 64 Names; 17 Killed in Action,  
11 Died of Wounds, 6 of Disease, 2 From Accidents;  
24 Wounded; 4 Missing.

(International News Service.)  
Washington, July 18.—Fifty-seven casualties in the American expeditionary forces were announced today by the war department divided as follows: Fourteen killed in action, ten died from wounds, six from disease, two from accident and other causes, twenty wounded severely, one wounded slightly and four missing in action.

Seven casualties in the marines attached to the American expeditionary forces were announced today at marine corps headquarters, divided as follows: Three killed in action, one died from wounds received in action and three wounded in action.

The army casualties list is as follows:

**Killed in Action.**  
Sergeant—Carl C. Carter, Fresno, Calif.; Eudell Miller, Lusher, Kansas City, Mo.; Wm. F. McFadden, Great Bend, Kan.; Wm. L. Travis, Hot Springs, Ark.

**Privates—**Leon Wm. Brignall, Geneva, N. Y.; Rocco di Salscio, Philadelphia, Pa.; Geo. Fisher, New York, N. Y.; Joseph Gallegos, Talpa, N. M.; Wm. C. Jackson, Rushville, Ind.; Vedo Rubincio, Tonopah, Nev.; Samuel Ellis, Meritt, Pa.; John C. Loyell, Norborne, Mo.; Henry E. Tyler, Mantus, N. Y.; Oscar L. Ulgreen, Jamestown, N. Y.

**Died From Wounds.**  
Corporal—B. James E. Fitzwillson, Charleston, S. C.  
Privates—Frederick B. Bunt, Taneyville, N. Y.; Earl M. Coston, Billings, Mo.; Jesse B. Emmons, Andalusia, Ala.; Paul J. Florine, Fort Atkinson, Wis.; Charles E. Lanier, Decatur, Ala.; Joseph Maciocca, Piglio, Italy; Frank N. Snyder, Fairfield, Conn.; Wm. C. Pton, Philadelphia, Pa.; Okey Vaughan, Newford, W. Va.

**Died of Disease.**  
Cook—Scott Milford, Sumner, Mo.

**Privates—**Charles E. Lucas, Trenton, N. J.; Leslie G. Morrow, Ponoka, Alberta, Can.; Wm. O. Watts, Esberry, Mo.; Frank M. Wenzel, Little Falls, Minn.; Philip Whitfield, Salters Depot, S. C.

**Died From Accident and Other Causes.**  
Corporal—Hamp Charles Taylor, Mount Pleasant, Mich.

**Wounded Severely.**  
Sergeant—Russell Boyd Brightbill, Harrisburg, Pa.

**Corporals—**Stacey E. Baker, Watertown, N. Y.; Richard P. Partridge, Rochester, N. Y.

**Privates—**Wm. Baron, Lublin, Russia; Robert Brightunder, Wooten, Wis.; James B. Chapman, Taylorville, N. C.; Selah Davis, Newark, N. J.; David H. Dunkle, Spring Run, Pa.; Sam M. Gardner, Phoenix City, Ala.; Frederick Y. Gould, Roxbury, Mass.; John Luhnink, Baltimore, Md.; Clarence Lyon, Bluffton, Ind.; Edwin Emerson Miller, Portage, Pa.; Vorn Morlan, Medicine Lodge, Kan.; Guy Norton, Delhi, N. Y.; Henry H. Shook, Cherokee, Ia.; Claude D. Shultz, Hibbard, Ia.; Pitt Skidica, Johnston, Pa.; Henry Vendetti, Newcastle, Pa.; Wm. Ziegler, Getzysburg, Russia.

**Wounded Slightly.**  
Private—Lawrence A. Chambers, Bridgeport, Conn.

**Missing in Action.**  
Privates—Albert Brook, Princeton, N. J.; Wojciech Cyganowski, Detroit, Mich.; Herman Joseph Klotz, Syracuse, N. Y.; Harry F. Thorpe, Watertown, Conn.

Previously reported missing, now reported in hospital: Private Alexander Crossie, Kalgoolie, West Australia.

**Marine Casualties.**  
**Killed in Action.**  
Sergeant—Thomas A. Sturges, New Orleans, La.

**Privates—**Frederick S. Bennett, North Bloomfield, N. Y.; Charles E. Hale, McConellsville, O.; Frederick L. Rebold, Baltimore, Md.

**Died of Wounds.**  
Private—Alfred C. Walburn, Weston, O.

**Wounded Severely.**  
Corporal—Henry L. Schumacher, Newark, Ill.

**Privates—**Jos. Cole, Lynn, Mass.; Harvey Snively, Schellburg, Pa.

## AMERICA FED WORLD THIS YEAR

Encouraging Food Situation Is  
Shown in Report of Food  
Administration.

## INTERESTING FIGURES

Over One Billion Dollars' Worth  
of Exports Shipped to Allies  
and U. S. Forces.

(International News Service.)

Washington, July 18.—America has fed the world this year with 3,011,000,000 pounds of meats and fats and 340,800,000 bushels of cereals, according to a summary of the work of the food administration, submitted in a report to the president by Food Administrator Hoover and made public today.

These figures represent an increase of \$44,600,000 pounds of meats and 80,900,000 bushels of cereals over the preceding year.

"No one can deny," wrote Hoover, "the dominant part of the American woman in attaining these figures, and the American people should feel with definite satisfaction for the remarkable results they have attained this year in feeding our allies' armies, our armies and the civilian populations of the nations fighting Germany." The report shows that despite an unusually small grain crop last year—7 to 9 per cent. below normal—this country increased its wheat exports by 80,900,000 bushels and its meats and fats by \$44,600,000 pounds.

The total value of these exports purchased through or in collaboration with the food administration amounted to \$1,400,000,000 and were shipped to the allies, military and naval establishments, our own war-making branches, the civilian populations, the Belgian relief fund and the Red Cross in the last half of the year. Hoover wrote the president, our exports of meats to the allies were 2,133,100,000 pounds, as against 1,264,500,000 pounds for the same period of the preceding year.

"This compares," he wrote, "with an average of \$01,000,000 pounds of total exports for the same half years in the three-year pre-war period."

"The total shipments to allied countries from our last harvest of wheat will be a total of 154,900,000 bushels of prime breadstuffs. In addition to this, we have shipped some 10,000,000 bushels to neutral dependent upon us."

"The exports to allied destinations during the fiscal year 1916-1917 were: Wheat, 135,100,000 bushels, and rye, 2,500,000 bushels, a total of 137,600,000 bushels. In addition, some 16,000,000 bushels of 1917 wheat are now in port for allied destinations or en route thereto."

The allied food controllers, he reported further, sent an urgent request for further shipment of 75,000,000 bushels of wheat from the 1917 crop. This was exceeded by approximately 10,000,000 bushels, all of which represented actual saving on the part of the American people, "who deserve especial credit in view of the small wheat crop."

The wheat figures are 340,800,000 bushels for 1917-1918, as against 259,900,000 bushels for 1916-1917, and the meat figures are 3,011,000,000 pounds for 1917-1918, as against 2,166,500,000 pounds for the preceding year.

"I am sure that the millions of our people," ends Hoover's letter, "agricultural as well as urban, who have contributed to these results should feel a very definite satisfaction that in the year of universal food shortages in the northern hemisphere all of those people joined together against Germany have come through into sight of the coming harvest not only with health and strength maintained, but with only temporary periods of hardship. The European allies have been compelled to sacrifice more than our own people, but we have not failed to land every steamer since the delays of the storm months last winter. Our contributions to this end could not have been accomplished without effort and sacrifice, and it is a matter of further credit that it has been accomplished voluntarily and individually. It is difficult to distinguish between various sections of our people—the homes, the public eating places, the food trades, urban or agricultural population—in assessing credit for these results, but no one will deny the dominant part of the American woman."

## ANOTHER CALL FOR ARMY SERVICE ISSUED

Tennessee Will Send 1,100 Men  
to Camp Shelby—Gorgians to  
Come to Fort Oglethorpe.

Washington, July 18.—Forty-six thousand men from all states and the District of Columbia were called to the colors last night by Provost Marshal-General Crowder. They were to be all white registrants. Movement into camp will be between Aug. 5 and Aug. 9.

This is the first general call for August, during which month the military program provides for the entrainment of 400,000 white men. Special calls already issued account for 19,941 of this number.

Quotas to be furnished by each state and the camps to which the men go include:

Alabama, 1,100; Camp Shelby, Miss. Delaware, 100; Camp Wadsworth, Spartanburg, S. C.

District of Columbia, 50; Camp Shelby, Hattiesburg, Miss.

Florida, 100; Camp Shelby, Hattiesburg, Miss.

Georgia, 500; Camp Greenleaf, Fort Oglethorpe, Ga.

Iowa, 800; Jefferson barracks, Kentucky, 800; Fort Thomas, Ky.

Louisiana, 300; Camp Shelby, Mississippi, 1,000; Camp Shelby, New Jersey, 800; Camp Wadsworth, New York, 2,500; Camp Greenleaf, Ga.

North Carolina, 2,500; Camp Wadsworth, Pennsylvania, 5,000; Camp Wadsworth, Tennessee, 1,100; Camp Shelby, Texas, 1,800; Camp Cody, Virginia, 100; Camp Wadsworth, Wisconsin, 1,000; Jefferson barracks, Wisconsin, 250; Camp Shelby.

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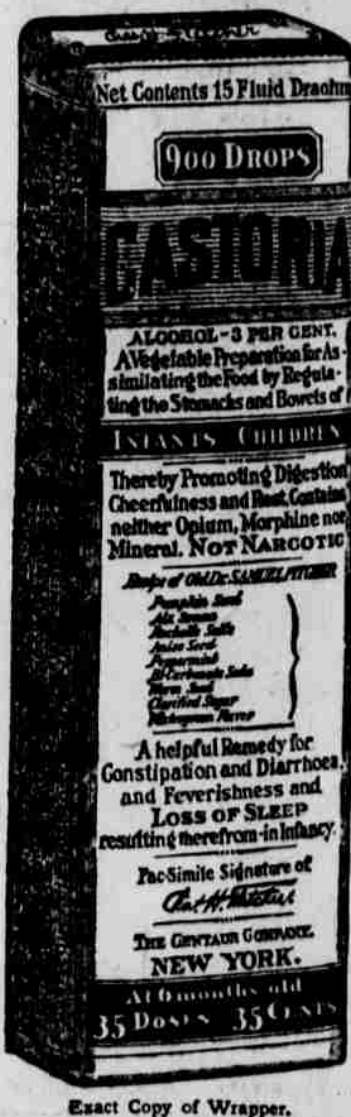
## A Word of Precaution.

JUST wherein lies the reason for the use of vegetable preparations for infants and children?

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